IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Examiner: B. Savic

Application No.: 10/697,007

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Art Unit: 3714

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For: GAMING MACHINE HAVING A VARIABLE DISPLAY (As amended)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2006, the period for response being extended to June 1, 2007, by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-9 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer, claims 1, 3, 4 and 6 are amended and claims 7-9 are added.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)